

SATURDAY EVENING, MARCH 30.

SUBSCRIPTION TO THE EVENING EDITION

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PALSEROOD CANNOT PREVAIL.

The Herald makes an atrocious attack upon the Children's Bill. Its statements are s timue of lies and misrepresentations. Its arguments are flimsy and pointless.

If the Herald had any particular influence we would take the trouble to nail its numerons in remoods seriatim. If the Herald had rny reputation for consistency with anywe would show from its own columns where it has supported the proposed action it now condemns. But such an unprovoked journalistic exhibition of jea'ousy and malice, by a sheet devoid of influence or consistency, may be safely left to the judgment of the public,

THE EVENING WORLD is somewhat youthful, but it is not afraid of the New York Herald. It is not afraid of Mr. GERRY. It is no afraid of all the Bureaucrats and all their allies combined.

A just cause knows no defeat.

#### JUSTICE FOR CHILDREN.

Mr. Elbeidge T. Gerry would deny to innocent children and to victimized parents the right accorded to the meanest criminal -the right of appeal from the commitment of a Police Justice which now sends the unprotected little ones to irrevocable separation from their parents.

With what an Assemblyman well called " malignant philanthropy," this insolent bureaucrat has inspired an attack upon the bill granting the right of appeal, on the plea that "it would send back to infamy those children who have once been taken from the snares of an evil life." This sounds like Aminadab Sleckism run wild.

What reason is there for the insulting charge that the Judges of the Supreme Court would do this thing? Are the Police Justices alone infallible? Is Mr. GERRY, with his hypocritical and inconsistent posing, the only friend of poor children in this city? He is interested in getting for his Society (whose work we have often approved) per capita percentages for all the children he can capture, and he resorts to very dirty lobbying to retain powers which Judge BARRETT has characterized as "autocratic," and which we have shown in specific cases to have been abused.

They say that the present law has stood for a hundred years. So did the law for imprisonment for debt. An abuse is not as an abuse because it is hoary. Indees BARRETT, BRADY, ANDREWS, LAWRENCE, PATTERSON and BEACH have indorsed the amendment. Public sentiment sustains it. Justice requires it. And we do not believe that either the pedigree or the purse of Mr. GERRY can defeat it.

#### It Demands Only Justice.

So the Editor of The Evening World : Ought it not strike common-sense people a very strange that Mr. Gerry and the Herald have such a fear of the Children's Protective bill now before the Assembly, being passed ? The subject matter of this bill is that there is The subject matter of this bill is that there is enjy is what it demands for poor children. What possible harm can be done in the provision of this bill, authorizing a reliearing within thirty days of these poor children so kidnapped? It would seem by reading between the lines that there is a screw loose somewhere of a monetary nature, which, if fightened by the law, will curtail the emoluments of the institution and protect the child.

WM. BENSON, 337 East Forty-third street.

#### A Piece of Malice and Spite

To the Editor of The Evening World:

My attention was called by a friend of mine to an editorial in this day's Herald, and having carefully read it, together with a statement in another part of said paper of Elbridge T. Gerry. the so-called philanthropic agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, I have no Houbt it is a concoction made up between them to try and defeat by all and every means THE EVENING WORLD'S humane bill.

Now a greater piece of treachery, falsehood and fable to defeat the ends of justice, all through malice and spite for a fellow contempo rary, I have never read.

#### CHICKERING HALL

#### Dr. Greene's Spring Course of Magnificently Illustrated Lectures.

Dr. Greene, of 35 West 14th st., New York, the eminent specialist in the cure of nervons and chronic diseases and famous lecturer, will deliver a Spring course of grand free lectures magnificently illustrated by the most beautiful dissolving views, in Chickering Hall on Monday, The-day, Wednesday and Thursday evenings. April 1, 2, 3 and 4, at 8 o'clock. On Wednesday and Thursday evenings the Doctor will give free private illustrated lectures to gentlemen only, and on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a free private illustrated lecture to ladies only. Admission is free to all lectures.

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large bottles (17% ounces), 70 cents.

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Bib ave., near 22d st., New York.

Not Invited. Mrs. Backbay.-Were you at the "Marriage of

How She Is Described by "The Evening World" Readers.

This Contest Is by Bar the Most Successful One-

#### THE AMERICAN CIRL CONTEST

A gold double eagle is offered for the best description of a typical American girl in 200 words The contest is open to all. Nettie Bly is hidae. No contribution is to exceed the limit, and all must be written on one side of the paper only. The successful description with the name and address of the writer will be published at the close of the contest. All contributions should be addressed "American Girl Contest." THE EVENING WORLD, New York.

The White House Ex-Mistress. My idea of a typical American girl is expressed in the three following words: "Mrs. Grover Cleveland." M. C. S.

This Is Libellous. Two hundred words ? Ridiculous! One's mough: "Vality,"
THE FATHER OF EIGHT OF EM.

Short and Sweet. My description of the American girl I venture to express by three words: Rich, Rare and Racy.

American girl!

erry, nergetic, omaulic, ndependent, harming. A ttractive,

G raceful,

The Equal of Any One. Her most redeeming characteristic is inde-pendence; she is of an affectionate disposition, but not too much so; a lover she admires, and a husband she adores as she does her own family. husband she adores as she does her own family. Horses and dogs are her pets, and books, the pen and brush her favored companions. She graces both kitchen and parlor. In politics she is independent—willing to study "the condition which confronts us." She is not a Prohibitionist, believing that there are times in the life of woman when she requires liquor as a stimulant, as the babe and the aged do when the haid of sickness lies heavily upon them. Everybody is the equal of everybody. Rosa Starks, 345 West Thirty-fourth street.

The American girl—the American girl, with her high-polished ways and her teeth white as excel. Not a duchess or queen can behave half as well. She can paddle a boat or can shoot off as well. She can paddle a boat or can shoot off a gun, and for riding a horse she no doubt "takes the bun." She can whip any man within reach of her fist. She's a "corker" at cards, be it enchre or whist. She's a "corker" at cards, be it enchre or whist. She's a "corker" at cards, be it enchre or whist. She's a "corker" at a poker, and can "rake in a "pot" with the touch of a veteran when "straight flushes she's got. The poor lay who's playing has two pair, but he moans as he "sees" her "full house," and he loses twelve "bones. She's a girl who has "go," she's as smart as a whip. On horse-racing she e'er has received a "sure tip." We award the "cake" to the American girl, so for honor to her let our banners unfurl.

When asked to describe a true type of the American girl, our first thought is that of a moderately fine-looking, medium-sized, slender young woman. On being introduced to her, our first impression would be a favorable one. In spite of her ladylike demeanor, you cannot but notice a certain independence of manner. This trait is noticeable in her dress, in her amusements and also in her choice of vocation for life. If she chooses and her pocketbook is deep enough she may enter the finest seminaries and receive training for almost any position in life. It may be to instruct the minds of the youth, or to receive her diploma as an M. D., or even to be admitted to the bar as an LL. D. Or, as a few brave women have chosen, and have succeeded so well in doing, acting as a reporter. Who can tell the good results accomplished by our sisters in revealing the mysteries of some of our institutions? Need we wonder at this inborn trait of independence in our American girls? No; we are the daughters of the sons of independence. first impression would be a favorable one. In

Worthy of All Honor.

independent (in a proper spirit), frank in her manner, and proud of her hopor and purity. She shows great love and respect to her parents, and is eager to make home pleasant and beautiful. She shows great sympathy ant and beautiful. She shows great sympathy and charity for the weak and oppressed, and is ever ready to relieve the sorrow or suffering of her fellow-creatures. Besides these very good qualities, she is industrious and enterprising, and in personal appearance she is modest and neat, and thinks more of personal comfort than of a great and gaudy display. To me she is as worthy an heiress to all that embraces the meaning of the real lady—to all the nobility, purity and honor that was ever attached to the name of woman—that the world ever produced. Give me the American girl, first, last, and all the time.

John Shirawood, jr.

195 Kent street, Brooklyn, E. D.

#### Sublime to Ridiculous.

The American girl is inclined to be indepen-dent, is well educated, nearly always able to sing and dance and play on some musical instrument. Dresses well, and always in the latest ment. Dresses well, and always in the latest style, Has a good figure, small hands and feet, and a bead well set on her shoulders. Can conduct herself as a lady anywhere, no matter what her position may be. Can also conduct a dog by a string, and the higher the girl's position the better for the dog. The American girl is able to take care of herself from a more child, if she ever was one. There is no country in the world where you will find the same intelligence as in the working American girl, and it seems as if they all knew how to work. She is fond of society and incidentally of ice cream. Generally has a beau or two ready to take her to see the latest play. She positively revels in sarcasm at the expense of her friends, with the best intentions, of course.

The American girl is well shaped and fine featured. She is brainy and intelligent, selftured. She is brainy and intelligent, self-willed and independent. Her taste is good, her tact is superb, her cooking is horrible. She can adapt herself to the lowliest work with good grace, and she can move with the bearing and manners of a princess in the society of the bluest blood. Her decires may be the simplest and also the most extravagant. Her love is strong, her fickleness stronger, her craving for sweetmeats the stronger. However, to describe her correctly in her many good traits and few shortcomings you need the pen of a Stockton or Howell, and 200 words would not do.

B. SOLINGER, 337 East Seventy-ninth street.

Something to Be Proud Of. The physical construction is, I suppose, hardly to be considered; but, to outline my picture. let her be about 5 feet 7 inches in height, robust, active, brown eyes, hair dark, complexionwell, let her be one who is more attentive to developing her mindrather than her complexion. Naturally honest, straightforward, not afraid to speak what she thinks, independent in every sense of the word, ready and willing to do a thing (alone, if need be), confident of the fact of her ability to take care of herself under any circumstance; well enough educated to talk on the subjects of the day, and to know when to stop talking; vivacious, ambitious, loving in nature, knowing how to grace a parior or kitchen, with credit to either; ever ready to lend a helping hand, and with a mind above the common frivolities of life; always ready for a good time, and with just a touch of masculine in her nature, to make her a favorite and at ease with either sex; sticking to her own idioms, original in her ideas, but never forgetting the fact that that she is a woman, American born, and as such, something to be proud of. Hygs, well, let her be one who is more attentive to de-

INFANTS treated during teething with MORELL'S

## OUR NATIVE LASS. WINE FOR THE 400. HOTEL

Will Our Legislators Be Called Upon | The Morton House Shaken Up by to Settle This, Too?

Men Say.

Is It True That There Are Pictures Handsome Clerk Downs One of Those of Yachts and Chateaus on the Labels?

The agitation among the wine men over Mr. Ward McAllister's action in selecting only two brands of champagne and rejecting other brands is increasing, and several well-known wine merhants who were seen by an Evening World reporter this morning predicted that there will be a livelier rumpus for the Committee to quell than they have already struck.

Out of the seven brands that are popular only two have been selected in addition to the special brand that has been imported for the exclusive

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There are many people who are in the habit of drinking certain brands of wine which were ignored by the committee.

This, the wine dealers say, is not right, as all should be treated. If Mr. McAllister and his select circle choose to drink a cheap champagne with a costly label on the bottles others, the "common people," should also be supplied with the brand that tickles their palates.

"The noble '400' have gone into the business of importing wines, as a glance at the Custom-House records will show, said a wine broker. "The brokers and liquor men are kicking at this also, for they say that they have to pay a license and are under heavy expenses, and at an affair like the coming celebration they should be allowed to make a little profit, too.

have to pay a license and are under heavy expenses, and at an affair like the coming celebration they should be allowed to make a little profit, too.

The wire merchants whom The Evening Would representative saw this morning spoke in a light voir, but it was easy to see that some of them felt sore over the matter.

"There will be a big row before long," said one prominent wine broker. "McAllister and his 400 have gone to work and imperted a special brand of wine for themselves. Out of the seven most popular brands they have so-lected two for the use of the common people.

"The stuff that they have provided for themselves is the same that they had at the Patriarch's ball.

"Indeed they have not stopped at that point, but have gone still further.

"I understand upon good authority that several members of our best families, who trace their succestry back to the time when this country belonged to Great lixitian and their forefathers were common cobblers or butchers, have got the idea that as the French manufacturers have to manufacture such a large quantity of wine they cannot make it good, they have bought some stuff from small dealers in France at a low rate and have had special labels put on the bottles.

"The labels contain the pictures of their yachts, some have their country residences, while others have cuts of their coats of arms three times as big as they appear in 'Burke's Peerage.

"The next thing I expect to hear is that they have imported the Oueen's carriage of state, and will have it drawn by double the usual number of horses."

It is a fact that one of the '400' has bought.

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"It is a fact that one of the '400' has bought some trashy stuff at 90 frances a case, and has it stored away to be used at the ball.

"This is going to raise a d—l. of a row, and you may expect to hear of it in the Legislature."

#### SHE PULLED JENNIE'S HAIR. A Stirring Electric Light Scene Created by

a Suspicious Bridgeport Wife. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, ! BRIDGEFORT, Conn., March 30,-Last night

Mr. Franklin Nash began making an elaborate oilet before going out. Mrs. Nash asked him if he intended remaining out late. He said yes-that he expected to meet

a friend from New Havon. Mrs. Nash thereupon assisted him in the fin-Mrs. Nash thereupon assisted him in the fin-ishing touches of his tollet, tying his "Four-in-hand" and bespraying him with perfumery. After Mr. Nash departed his wife disguised herself and followed him.

On the way to the polo game at the Gem Rink she met her husband, with Jennie Hayes affec-tionately hanging on his arm.

Mrs. Nash followed them a short distance, and when under the electric light, corner of Main and Arch streets, she pounced upon Jennie, seizing her victim by her back hair, and began a series of slaps and scratches upon the face of the fair Jonnie.

series of staps and series the attacking party, but fair Jennie.

Mr. Nash grabbed the attacking party, but just at this moment Mrs. Nashs hat and vest, which had served as a disguise, fell off.

The husband recognized his wife and fled. Jennie also succeeded in escaping. Jennie also succeeded in escaping.
A crowd quickly gathered around Mrs. Nash, and she made a speech, the burden of which was that she "would show that Hayes woman that it didn't pay to monkey around her husband,"
The crowd cheered Mrs. Nash and then discovered

#### MINISTERS TO BELGIUM AND COLOMBIA.

Harrison Remembers the Grandson of His Grandfather's Chaplain. SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I

Washington, March 30.-The President to day nominated Edwin H. Terrell, of Texas, whose grandfather was William Henry Har rison's Chaplain at Tippecance, to be Envoy Ex-

rison's Chaplain at Tippecanoe, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Belgium.

John T. Abbott, of New Hampshire, was nominated Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Republic of Colombia.

A number of Postmasters were appointed, including Henry Flood for Elmira, and the following were named as delegates to a conference between the United States and the Republics of Mexico, Central America, South America, Hayti, San Domingo and the Empire of Brazil, to be beld in Washington next Fall:

John B. Henderson, of Missouri; Cornelius N. Bliss, New York; William Pinkney White, Maryland; Clement Studebaker, Indiana; T. Jefferson Coolidge, Massachusetts; W. Heury Trescott, South Carolina; Andrew Carnegie, Pennsylvania; John B., G. Pithen, Louisiana; Morris M. Estec, California, and J. H. Hanson, Georgia.

Presentation to a Popular Teacher. As Teacher of Phonography Eugene Sheridan opened his books in the evening High School. Norfolk street, to call the roll for the last time during the term, Mr. Frank H. Sigerson arose and in a neat address on behalf of his fellow-students presented him with two handsome volumes of the poetical works of Longfellow and Tennyson. Mr. Sheridan responded, gratefully thanking the scholars for the kind remembrance, and referring to the marked progress made by his students.

The Site for the Criminal Court Building. At the meeting of the Sinking Fund to-day i was determined to appropriate the Centre street was determined to appropriate and centre street site for the Criminal Court Building, and an ad-vertisement for plans for the same was directed. The Commissioner of Public Works was or-dered to take possession of the building at pres-ent on the site on May 1 and begin its removal

> Clifton Entries for Monday. ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.

RACE TRACE, CLIPTON, N. J., March 30. are the Clifton entries for Monday, April 1:

First Race-Purse \$250; seren-sighths of a mile.

Lemon linesom, 110; Capatona, 110; Kanta, 110;
Bishop 110; Godden Reel, 110; Clatter, 110; Dales,
man, 110; Biscuit, 110; Zero, 110; Long Jack, 110;
Kenneth, 110; Utopian, 110; Marquis, 110 lb.

Second Race-Purse \$250; selling allowances: one
mile and a sitteenth, Trueborn, 105; Chinese Gordon, 105; Adoua, 105; Bay Ridge, 103; Effle Hardy,
103; Obelisk, 105; Hermitage, 104; Navage, 103;
Souvenir, 102; Ravaller, 102; Pilot, 100; Fagasa,
100; Greenfield, 100 lb.

Third Race-Purse \$250; cir and one-half furlongs
Baliston, 110; Lemon, 110; Herman, 110; Vallant,
10; Avor; 110; Monte Cristo, 110; Clontarf, 110;
Reynote, 110; Bounance, 110; Bellwood, 110; Buyler,
110; Race, Purse \$250; headiew, general contents. are the Clifton entries for Monday, April 1: 10 lb.
Fourth Race Purse \$500; handicap one mile—
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Baraum, 118; The Bourbon, 114; Ten Pooker, 115;
Capulin, 114; Letticfulow II, 1; Tengly, 113;
Beilwood, 113; Ernest, 113; Nethe, 112; Bounie S.
111; Chancellor, 104; Van, 103; lb.
Fifth Race—Furse \$500; selling allowances; one
mile—Bill Bond, 115; Satisfaction, 104; Oscobe,
105; Top Sawyer, 105; Charley Arnold, 105; Alan
Archer, 103; Mattie Loovam, 101; First Attempt,
101; Pat Moran, 101; b.

Cheer Up IV our Home. Everybody has a Rochester Lamp but you. Thousand at 1201 Broadway and 25 Warren st. ROCHESTER LAMP CO.

Internal Dissensions.

A Pretty State of Affairs, the Champagne Clerk Van Deen Was Bounced and Two Others Deserted.

Who Are Missed.

There was a wholesale desertion at the Morton House this morning, which came near leaving

the hotel in a stranded condition. The catastrophe came not all together, but in a eries of shocks, each of which set all the neighborhood a gossiping.
On the Rialto and in the hotels it was discussed

in hushed tones and in language more expressive than elegant. To the ordinary observer who happened in the little hotel on the corner of Broadway and Four-

little hotel on the corner of Broadway and Four-teenth street everything appeared to be quiet and peaceful.

But to the guests and regular patrons there was a something missing. It did not take long to discover that it was the handsome face of Clerk Downs that was gone. If inquiry was made of Dick Sherwood, who stood behind the desk, as to the cause of Downs's disappearance, it only evoked the answer, "I don't know."

It appears that when Night Clerk Van Deen went into the restaurant this morning for his breakfast he gave the order to the check clerk. That individual said: "Mr. Van Deen, your money is at the office."

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"What?" gasped Van Deen.

"I repeat." said the check clerk, with solemn dignity. "that your money is in the office. I have orders not to serve you."

Van Deen turned to the office and found an envelope from Mr. Vernam and it is supposed a note dismissing him.

What that note contained is at present a mystery, but there was something in it that aroused the ire of Day-Clerk Downs and Bookkeeper Halley. It is said they both sent in their resignations. At any rate, they left and Dick Sherwood reigns supreme behind the deek.

Van Deen had only been at the hotel a few months, while Halley and Downs had each been there two years.

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This is one side of the desertion. Other accounts say that all three officials were dismissed in a lump. Anyhow, there was considerable confusion and excitement in the hotel when the facts became known, and all sorts of rumors flew thick and fast.

Mr. Vernam could not be seen by an Evenino World reporter, neither could Messrs. Downs, Halley nor Van Deen.

THAT QUEER DETECTIVE BILL.

Mayor Grant Concludes to Withhold the Warrant for Its Payment.

Mayor Grant is not satisfied with the vouchers on file in the Comptroller's office in support of the claim of J. E. Wilkinson of \$5,069,40 for private detective services in shadowing principals, jurors and talesmen in the Kerr trial. He has concluded to withhold the warrant for its payment until additional and more explicit information regarding the nature of the service performed is furnished by District-Attorney

Fellows.
This he has asked for in a letter sent to-day by Secretary Crain. Better and more complete vouchers, he says, are needed if the city is to be reimbursed for these expenditures by the State, as it is entitled to be under the constitution.

TO TEST THAT BLUE LAW.

Concert Saloon-Keepers Engage Bourke

concert saloon-keepers have determined to test the law in relation to their closing on Sunday should Supt. Murray persist in his announced intention to arrest proprietors of all

such places not closed to-morrow.

This action was determined on at a meeting of concert salpon proprietors held in Geo. J. Krauss' Volks Garden, 233 Bowery, Thursday night.
Ex-Congressman Bourke Cockran has been engaged as counsel for the saloon-keepers.

MORE CAPITOL FRAUD.

The Ceiling Committee Finds that the Stained Glass Bill Was Doubled.

The Ceiling Investigating Committee came lown from Albany and continued their investigation at Clarence A. Seward's office to-day. Frederick C. Wolff, a manufacturer of stained glass at 433 Third avenue, testified that he sold Snaith opalescent instead of cathedral glass, for the Capitol building, charging Snaith only \$3 per foot, but sending him a bill at \$6 a foot.

John Bright's Funeral.

[BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, March 30.—The funeral of John Bright took place at Rochdale to-day. The ceremonies were simple and the attendance was very large. The remains, in accordance with the wish of the deceased, were deposited in the Quaker cemetery.

While the funeral was in progress at Rochdale a solemn service was held in Westminster Abbey in memory of the great orator.

Mrs. Tracy's Westfield Mansion in Ashes. SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.

PLAINFIELD, March 30. - The handsome mansion belonging to Mrs, Emma L. Tracy, of New York, situated on Westfield avenue, Westfield, was burned to the ground at 1 o'clock this morning. A quantity of furniture stored in the building was also d'atroyed. The total loss is about \$12,000; partly insured. Said She Took Laudanum for Toothache.

Frederica Leidenroth, the young girl who at-tempted suicide at 115 Ludlow street by swallowing laudanum because she had a quarrel with her father about her lover, was discharged by Justice Patterson at the Essex Market court this morning. She said that she suffered from toothache and took the laudanum by mistake. Mayor Grant Will Fight.

Mayor Grant said to-day that should the West ern Union Telegraph Company take advantage orn Union Telegraph Company take advantage of its temporary injunction to string new wires and remain its old wires contrary to the rules of the Subway Commission it will find them torn down very shortly after the injunction against himself and the Subway Commissioners is dissolved, as he is confident it will be.

It is understood that De Lancey Nicoll will represent the Board of Electrical Control and the Corporation Counsel the Mayor on the argument.

"Big Bill" Tracy Arrested. Big Bill "Tracy, who is said to have been oncerned in the Manhattan Bank burglary, and 1878, was held in \$5,000 bail in the Jefferson Market Police Court this morning for stealing a watch from the pocket of Louis Brown, of 640 Madison avenue. also a participant in the Troy train robbery in

Transatiantic Travellers. Among those who sailed for Europe this morning were Cornelius Vanderbilt, on the Etruria; Sir Edward Jenkinson, on the Ems. and Eze-chiel de Jesus Toro, on the Bretagne,

The Old Guard Alding a Southern Home. The Old Guard has subscribed \$100 to the fund for the Confederate Home in Texas. This is the first military organization that has fallen a line and subscribed to the good cause.

#### DIAMONDS.

Messrs. THEODORE A KOHN & SON, Jewellers, 56 West 23d st., invite an in-spection of selected Gems in fine settings. Late of A. Frankfield & Co.



For a good spring medicine we confidently recom-mend Hood's Sarsaparilla. By its use the blood is purified, enriched and vitalized, that tired feeling is entirely overcome and the whole body given strength nd vigor. The appetite is restored and sharpened, the

Hood's Sarsaparilla

taken it with benefit testify to its peculiar curative

of good, and I have no hesitancy in recommending it.

J. W. WILLEFORD, Quincy, Ill.

That Tired Feeling

"For a first-class spring medicine my wife and I think very highly of Hood's Sarsaparilia. We both took it last spring. It did us a great deal of good and we felt better through the hot weather than ever before. cured my wife of sick headache, from which she has suffered a great deal, and relieved me of a dizzy, tired feeling. I think every one ought to take something to purify the blood before the hot weather comes on, and we shall take Hood's Sarsaparilla this spring."
PEARCE, Supt. Grante Ry. Co., Concord, N. H.

actually accomplishes what is claimed for it, is what has gained its firm and constantly increasing hold upon the The Spring Medicine

Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is merit

The chief reason for the marvellous suc

you an appetite, or build up your nerve, mental or podily strength, try Hood's Sarsaparilla this season,

#### **Blood Poison**

"For years, at irrogular intervals in all seasons, suffered the intolerable burning and itching of bloocoisoning by ivy. It would break out on my legs, in my throat and eyes. Last spring I took Hood's Sarasparilla, as a blood purifier, with no thought of it as a special remedy for ity poisoning, but it has effected a permanent and thorough our " (A effected a permanent a permanent and thorough our " (A effected a permanen

"Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me of blood poison, gave me a noble appetite, overcame headache and dizziness, so that now I am able to work again." LUTHER NABON, 53 Church at., Lowell, Mass. ... Louis, Mo. In the bouse. I give it to my children for a sprin medicine." Mns. II. D. LEROY, 1647 Hogan st. St. Louis, Mo.

Dandelion, Mandrake, Dock, Juniper Berries and other rell known vegetable remedies, in such a peculiar man-ner as to derive the full medicinal value of each. It will

# Hood's Sarsaparilla

'Early last spring I was very much run down, had

nervous headache, felt miserable and all that. I wa very much benefited by Hood's Sarsaparilla and recom-mend it to my friends." Mrs. J. M. TATLOS, 1119 Euclid ave., Cleveland, O. Scrofula Humor

"My little boy, for whom I procured Hood's Sares parilla, was so badly afflicted with scrofula that the bottle, and there was a most wonderful improvement I then got one bottle more and that cured him com-pletely. I would not be without Hood's Sarsaparill

# Hood's Sarsaparilla

100 DOSES ONE DOLLAR

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That's What President Day Says of the Polo Grounds.

John B. Day, President of the New York Base ball Club, arrived in the city early this morn-

Mr. Day left this town last midwinter a sick in better health than he has enjoyed in years. He has gained some twenty pounds in weight and looks, as an athlete would put it, in the pink of condition.

From the station, Mr. Day, with his wife, drove directly to the "Osborne," and an hour after his arrival in his charming apartments gave a cordial welcome to an Evening World reporter. 'I am in a much better position to ask for

"I am in a much better position to ask for news than to give it," said Mr. Day. "What about the Polo Grounds? Does any one know what to expect from the Aldermen?"

The situation was explained to the champion President in a few words, and then the reporter put the question:

"In case the Aldermen resolve to grade the street and you lose the Polo Grounds, would you prefer the Giants to play on Staten Island or the Jersey City Grounds?"

"I prefer the Polo Grounds," was the smiling response. "But," remarked he, "You see I have not and don't expect that we shall be obliged to move from the Polo Grounds this season. I think our request to defer the grading until Oct, I a perfectly just and reasonable one and in spite of all the talk to the contrary. I am of the opinion that the Board of Aldermen will so decide. I don't care a rap what Commissioner Smith does with the fences. He can take them all down if he has the power and chooses to use it.

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all down if he has the power and chooses to use it.

"Until the street is graded it certainly can't be used by others than mountaineers and goats, for the level of the grounds is much lower than that of the surrounding avenues.

"If the Board refuses to grade the street you can depend upon it that the Club will play ball on the Polo Grounds another season."

In regard to the Ward matter Mr. Day had but little to say, but that little was enough to show that in all probability John M. Ward will play in Washington this season.

"Ward," said Mr. Day, "asked me last Fall to obtain his release to either Boston or Washington. I complied with his request, and now, so far as I am concerned, Ward is a member of the Washington Club. He was in his right mind when, last Fall, he said that he didn't care to play here another season, and I can't see that he has any reason for thinking differently now.

"It has been stated in the papers, I know, that Ward would prefer to re-

main here if he received as large a salary as Washington is willing to pay, but I hardly think that Ward meant that speech, for certainly after what he has said about being handicapped by the management, I can't see how he could consistently piay ball here this season.

When asked if New York would be willing to pay Ward the salary offered by Washington in case he asked it, Mr. Day said:

"Ward will, in all probability, make an excellent captain and manager for the Washingtons, and they need such a one. We have, I think, a thoroughly competent management."

Mr. Day expressed himself as greatly pleased with the reports which have reached him from various quarters in regard to the uniformly good condition in which the Giants have reported for duty. ported for duty.
Mr. Hewitt is in town, and Ward may become

#### FIFTEEN SAILORS DROWNED

FATAL COLLISION AND BOILER EX-PLOSION ON THE ENGLISH CHANNEL.

LONDON, March 30 .- During a heavy fog this morning on the English Channel an Ostend packet was run down by the Belgian mail steamer Princess Henriette. The former was almost cut in two, and to add

The former was almost cut in two, and to add to the horror of the situation her boilers burst, shattering her to pieces and sinking her.

The captain, first mate, chief engineer and twelve of her crew were dirowned, and the Anglo-Continental mails were lost.

Prince Jerome Bonaparte, who was among the passengers, was rescued.

LATER.—A later report says the Countess of Fianders was the packet that collided with the Princess Henriette, and that it did not sink, as reported.

The number of the lost is fifteen, as given in previous despatch, and includes three passengers.

BRUTAL MURDER AT WOODBURY.

WOODBURY, N. J., March 30 .- The police of this place to-day discovered that a foul murder had been committed, the victim being a peddler. The murderer has been arrested and is now safely locked up in a cell. Another arrest, how-ever, is expected, but the police decline to give information until it is made.

INSANE LEAP TO DEATH.

James Mulligan threw himself out of the fithstory window of tenement 791 Seventh avenue this morning.

He fell headlong to the ground and was innking differently now.
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JOHN DUFF STRICKEN DOWN

THE WELL-KNOWN MANAGER ATTACKE BY A STROKE OF APOPLEXY.

John Duff, lessee and manager of the Stand ard Theatre, at Broadway and Thirty-second street, was stricken with paralysis in his office in the theatre about 1.30 o'clock this after noon, and it is feared that he will die,

He is about sixty-three years of age. He has had two or three similar but slighter attacks before. He was feeling unusually wel when he left home to go to the theatre this forenoon.

Whe had eaten a hearty dinner and was looking over some personal papers in his private office, when he rose quickly and pressed one hand to the back of his head, exclaiming: "What is

this ?"

A moment later he fell to the floor.
An ambulance was summoned and he was taken to the New York Hospital.
By his own request he was taken thence to his own house at 33 West Tenth street.
There he was attended by Dr. Hussey, his family physician, who declares his condition critical.
The brain is affected.
Mr. Duff is one of the best-known theatries men in the United States.

CUSTOMS DEMOCRATS ALL BROKEN UP. ecretary Windom's Axe They Fear Will

Will Soon Cut Of More Heads, Consternation reigns among Democratic Cus om-House officials this morning over the sudden emoval from office of nine inspectors and clerk in the Special Treasury Agent's department. The names of the victims are: George H. Simmons, Special Agent; Jacob Seebacker, John T. Kays, John A. Butler, Frederick Hess, L. H.

Kays, John A. Butler, Frederick Hess, L. H. Kinch, John H. Butler, Bradbury Dyer, all owhom were Treasury Inspectors: Carl E. Handup and John Clark, special employees. Mr. Dyer was detailed at Albany; the other were attached to the New York staff.

All the decapitated officials are Democras, and Handup and Butler are members of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Among the other Inspectors in the Special Agent's and other departments there is widespread fear that Secretary Windom's axe will select the second of the removed men have not yet been appointed. They are not required pass a civil-service examination.

Policeman Ryerson Again Assaulted. James Williams, an ex-convict, of 125 Wash ington street, was held in \$300 bail at the Tomba Police Court this morning, for throwise a beer glass at Policeman Ryerson, who was roughly handled by a crowd of Battery toughs on Thursday night.

## They Bloom in the Spring.

Last spring I was troubled with bolls; one after another would present itself on my arms and body. I used one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and the bolls have all left me. It is the best blood purifier I have ever used, -D. A. MYERS, Lawrenceville, Clark Co., O. A friend ad Bundock Blood Bundock Blood Bundock Blood blood, Afte humor in the BLOOD bottles I am am eured. I using three

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take pleasure

A STEEL dock Blood Bitters to my BITTERS friends,-J. E Berks Co., Mas. I had a rash on my body and face for a month. Bearing of Burdock Blood Bitters I took one bottle and have not even a mark of it on me now.—Kittis BELL, Weedsport, N. Y.

I was troubled with an incessant liching of the skin for eight weeks, which became so bad my mothe thought she would be obliged to keep me from my studies. I began using Burdock Blood Bitters, and although have only taken one bottle am nearly cured. It is a valuable medicine.—Howard Upment, Ulster Co., N. Y.



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Phas Shuman, dealer in Italian Bees, Catawism, says : I have used Burdock Blood Bitters for many and it cured me. I used only one bottle and he no symptoms of malaria for six months. For eight years I was a sufferer from

Hearing of Burdock Blood Bitters I tried it. He them, and I have had no trouble from them

My neck and cheeks were covered with large lumps, and sores, that looked like ring-worms, came out all over my body. I have taken three bottles of Burdon of his face and coming on he two bottles of Blood Bases

F. SPRENOHL, Breinigavile, Lehigh Co., Pa.